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ELECTRICAL BONDING PROTECTED AGAINST OXIDATION THE ON GAS **COMBUSTION** SIDE OF HIGH-Α

TEMPERATURE FUEL CELL

LETTER SUBMITTING ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS FOR **ENTERING NATIONAL PHASE FOR A PCT APPLICATION**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

May 15, 2002

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 or 37 C.F.R. § 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application

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\boxtimes	Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.					
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	The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney i					
	true c	rue copy of the specification which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark				
	Office	e on		_, including any amendments thereto (if		
	annlic	able) filed on even da	ate theres	with		

\boxtimes	The undersigned hereby declares that the Declaration attached corresponds to					
"Attorney Docket No. 32860-000265/US" which in turn corresponds to Appl. No. 10/031,125						
filed Januar	y 9, 2002 entitled "ELECTRICAL BONDING PROTECTED AGAINST					
OXIDATION ON THE GAS COMBUSTION SIDE OF A HIGH-TEMPERATURE FUEL						
CELL."						
	English language specification, claims, and Abstract with () sheets of					
	drawings.					
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.					
\boxtimes	Attached is a copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/905.					
	No extension fee is required because the undersigned has not yet received the					
Notification of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905). However, if for some reason it						
is determined that an extension of time is necessary, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an						
extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37						
C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.						
	Applicant(s) hereby respectfully petitions for () month(s) extension of					
time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136						
and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$0.00 is attached hereto.						

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The Government Filing Surcharge in the amount of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. \$\\$ 1.494 and 1.492 was previously paid for concurrently with the filing of the application on Tanuary 9,2002.

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	Assignment.
	A Fee of \$0.00 to cover the increase in fees of the filing Surcharge is enclosed.
	Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 to cover the above-mentioned fees is/are
	enclosed.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination
- Substitute Specification

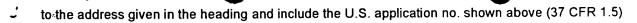
The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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